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Applicants: Fumihiko KONUSHI et al. Conf.: 1396  
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For: SEMICONDUCTOR LASER DEVICE AND METHOD OF  
MANUFACTURING SAME

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 26, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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